

PUBLIC LAW 104-194—SEPT. 9, 1996

water conservation performance contracts:
Provided, That the
terms of such contracts do not exceed twenty-
five years: and
(C) permit and encourage each department or
agency and
other instrumentality of the District of Columbia
to participate
in programs conducted by any gas, electric or
water utility
of the management of electricity or gas demand
or for energy
or water conservation.

REDUCTION IN MINIMUM NUMBER OF MEMBERS OF THE
BOARD OF
TRUSTEES OF AMERICAN UNIVERSITY

SEC. 150. The first section of the Act entitled "An
Act
to
incorporate the American University", approved
February 24, 1893,
(27 Stat. 476), is amended by striking "forty" and
inserting "twenty-
five".

WAIVER OF CONGRESSIONAL REVIEW FOR CERTAIN COUNCIL
ACTS

SEC. 151. Notwithstanding section 602(c)(1) of the
District of
Columbia Self-Government and Governmental
Reorganization Act,
each of the following District of Columbia acts
shall take effect
on the date of the enactment of this Act:

- (1) The District of Columbia Real Property Tax
Lien Assignment or Sale and Transfer Amendment Act of 1996 (D.C. Act
11-353).
- (2) The Telecommunications Competition Act of
1996 (D.C.
Act 11-300).

(3) The Mortgage Lenders and Brokers Act of
1996 (D.C.
Act 11-309).

This Act may be cited as the District of Columbia
Appropriations Act, 1997.

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LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—H.R. 3845:

HOUSE REPORTS: Nos. 104-689 (Comm. on Appropriations) and 104-740 (Comm. of Conference).

SENATE REPORTS: No. 104-328 (Comm. on Appropriations).

CONGRESSIONAL RECORD, Vol. 142 (1996):

July 22, considered and passed House.

July 25, considered and passed Senate, amended.

Aug. 1, House agreed to conference report.

Sept. 5, Senate agreed to conference report.

WEEKLY COMPILATION OF PRESIDENTIAL DOCUMENTS, Vol. 32 (1996):

Sept. 9, Presidential statement.